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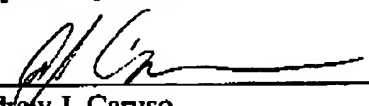
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### REMARKS

In the Advisory Action of July 26, 2005, claims 40-44 were again rejected after vigorous argument from the Applicant. Claims 32-39 had been previously allowed. In this submission, the Applicant requests that claims 40-44 be cancelled without prejudice. Claims 32-39 remain pending in this application.

In view of the foregoing remarks, the Applicant courteously requests that a Notice of Allowance be issued for claims 32-39. Should the Examiner require additional information, she is requested to contact the Applicant's undersigned representative at the telephone number below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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